

## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC INSPECTION AND PUBLIC HEARING**

## IOWA COMMUNITY SERVICES BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM

DES MOINES – Iowans have an opportunity to review and comment on Iowa's proposed FFY 2016-2017 Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) State Plan and Application.

The purpose of the Federal CSBG program is to provide assistance to States and local communities, working through a network of community action agencies and other neighborhood-based organizations, for the reduction of poverty, revitalization of low-income communities, and the empowerment of low-income families and individuals in rural and urban areas to become fully self-sufficient. The lowa Department of Human Rights, Division of Community Action Agencies (DCAA) administers lowa's CSBG program, and is authorized by lowa law to contract and distribute lowa's CSBG program funds to lowa's community action agencies.

The proposed application will be available for review at the DCAA, on the DCAA's website (<a href="www.humanrights.iowa.gov/dcaa">www.humanrights.iowa.gov/dcaa</a>), at each of Iowa's eighteen community action agencies, and at the Iowa Community Action Association through August 6, 2015. The review and comment period is from July 30, 2015 through August 6, 2015. A public hearing will be held on August 7, 2015, 10:00 a.m., in room 208 of the Lucas State Office Building, 321 East 12th Street, Des Moines. All comments must be received in writing before August 8, 2015 to be considered:

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